

## WEIRD WORK GIVES COLTS FIRST GAME

Perryman Wobbles in Eighth and Richmond Piles up Five Runs—Doc Ayers, in Good Shape, Strikes Out Thirteen Tiger Batsmen.

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Bresnahan, 3b.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Leval, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piez, lf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riley, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Newton, ss.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Carter, 2b.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Eberis, cf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mace, c.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ayers, p.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	30	5	3	0	1	0	0	5	10

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Glen, cf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Presley, 1b.	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	7	2
Irmscher, 3b.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Mattis, lf.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Summers, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCracken, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Noel, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riley, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Perryman, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	12

Score by innings: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 7-5  
 ROANOKE: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-1  
 Summary: Left on bases—Richmond, 2; Roanoke, 6. Hit by pitched ball—Summers. Time of game—1:35. Umpires—Clarke and Cross.

BY GUS MALBERT.

Officially, it must be recorded as a ball game. Actually, it was a mishap. As a result of the mishap, Richmond is credited with another victory, Roanoke being the victim at this writing. The score was 5 to 1.

On quite a few occasions the Richmond baseball-going public has been treated to superlative brands of hurling. Usually a chronicle of that kind carries the name of Doctor Yancey Wyatt Ayers somewhere in the story. Yesterday was no exception. Doc Ayers and Parson Perryman were the opponents, and both lived up to reputations earned some days since. Ayers was hit safely six times and Perryman three.

In all six runs were scored during the eight and one-half innings played. The total number of hits made were nine. Divided into the legal boxes of which a game is made, Richmond pushed two together in the eighth, and Roanoke two in each, the third and eighth. The two for the invaders in the third brought forth a tally, the only tally of which they can boast this morning. The two driven abroad by the Colts meant vastly more. As a result of this duo of knocks Richmond achieved five runs and the game.

It was as weird an exhibition as one will see under any circumstances. Time was when the defensive club could be blamed for anything the opposition achieved. It wasn't so yesterday. All six of the runs were scored by the pitchers. Boots, inexcusable boots, explain why neither fliker is given the honor of scoring a shut-out. Perryman for six seasons pitched the brand of ball of which he is capable. Not the semblance of a safe bag had been made by the locals. He had speed and curves, and, better still, he had control. The day was dark, rain falling at frequent intervals, and his fast ball was vastly more deceptive than any kind of twister. He had struck out seven, and there was to one in the park that would have wagged even money that the one run made by Roanoke in the third would prove enough.

Ayers was going fairly well himself. At the final count it was found that he had been knocked safely six times, had given one base on balls, had struck out thirteen and had been scored on just once. But Perry was doing even better. The ball was driven into the air, the attenuated Georgian got along famously until the eighth. In that box the Colts began laying everything down in front of his feet, and the dozen got excited.

Four errors, two hits and some lurid demonstrations brought five in that stanza. Carter started and was safe when the pitcher failed to handle his bait. The ball was driven into the air, the attenuated Georgian got along famously until the eighth. In that box the Colts began laying everything down in front of his feet, and the dozen got excited.

In justice to Perry, his peg was perfect. But Paul Irmscher dropped the throw. This left the cushions soured when Doc Ayers, following instructions, laid another one down. Perry tried the play, but then threw the ball so wide that Riley was forced to straddle the plate, and couldn't land Carter.

Bresnahan sent one along the third base line, and Irmscher throwing to the pitcher, hit Eberis in the back, and counted. Bill Laval forced Mace at the plate, and then Sandy Piez came through with a triple, clearing the sacks, excepting that Laval cut second base, and was fouled out by Mace. Charlie Sandy then pulled the spectacular play of the contest by stealing home.

Only two innings proved fruitful for the batters—the third for Roanoke and the eighth for Richmond. In the third Glen for Roanoke hunted to Ayers, and the doctor, in his anxiety, threw to right field, Glen pulling up at third. He scored, when Paul Irmscher hit what was intended to be a waste ball, over second. After that the doctor was never in danger. He got in trouble in the first, striking Glen, hitting Presley hit, and then hitting Summers. But he got out of the hole by causing Irmscher to force Glen at third, striking out Mattis, and forcing McCracken to pop to Eberis.

One possible Tiger run was stopped in the ninth, when Mattis tried to go home on a legitimate single and Piez's error, being caught at the plate on a perfect relay from Eberis to Sumners to Mace. Irmscher was also caught at the plate in the third by Bresnahan's good throw.

Until the eighth the Colts never had a chance to score. Just two had been on bases, and both were caught easily. It was a hard game to lose, but Perryman can thank no one but himself for the defeat. Presley will send Bert Garfield after tomorrow, while Griffin will use Charlie Strain.

## GIANTS WORKING SURE BREAK

With Matty Pitching, Cubs Break Through McGraw's Defense and Gain Victory.

### MILLER SCORES WINNING RUN

New York Team Outfits Visitors, but Classy Fielding Stops Rungetting.

New York, July 10.—The Chicago Cubs broke the Giants' winning streak by taking today's game, 3 to 2. The locals out-hit the Cubs, and had the benefit of four passes, but the classy fielding of the visitors stopped several batting rallies. Miller, in left field, played a splendid game for the Cubs, and brought in the winning run with a triple in the sixth. Mathewson pitched his usual steady game, giving no passes and striking out five men, but luck broke against him. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Evers, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schulte, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phelan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corbett, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bresnahan, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Score by innings: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3  
 Summary: Errors—Shaffer, Murray. Three-base hit—Miller. Double—Miller. Left on bases—Chicago, 6; New York, 4. First base on balls—Chicago, 2; New York, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Mathewson, 5; Umpires, Rieker and Bryan. Time of game, 1:45.

### PIRATES WIN ANOTHER

Pittsburgh, July 10.—Pittsburgh won its third successive game from Philadelphia today by the score of 3 to 2. McQuillan pitched his first game for the Pirates, and while he was hit harder than Chalmers, he kept the hits scattered, and the Phillies were only able to score in the third and ninth innings. Pittsburgh got to Chalmers in the first inning for three singles and a double, scoring two runs. From that inning to the end, they scored a run in the third on a pass, stolen base, overthrow and a squeeze hit. Manager Doolin gave his team a shake-up in the line-up, today, replacing Evers with Miller, and Baker with R. Miller. Miller, Becker, Dolan and Walsh. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Becker, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dolan, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Miller, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cravath, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McQuillan, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### REDS BEST SUPERBAS

Brooklyn, July 10.—The Brooklyn Reds continued on their downward slide today by losing to the tail-end Cincinnati Reds, 10 to 5, and are now tied with Pittsburgh for fourth place. Ruckel was decidedly the form pitcher, and was taken out in the second inning after he had given a pass and five hits had been made. He was followed by Wagner, who stood on a bombardment for three innings. Hall lasted until the ninth, Kent finishing. Brown was batted hard enough to win an ordinary game, but the heavy lead gained by Cincinnati early could not be overcome. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Moran, cf.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wagner, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hummel, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pfeiffer, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rucker, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### BRIVES TRIM CARDINALS

Boston, Mass., July 10.—The Boston Nationals made a four straight over the Cardinals by winning today's game, 3 to 1. The hitting was light, but Harmon's passes were costly, as they figured in two of the three runs. Berdine pitched a bang-up game, striking out seven men and allowing but six hits. Two of these were bunched in the seventh, giving the Cardinals their only tally. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Huggins, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whitted, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Konely, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wingo, c.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kent, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

## PIRATES UNABLE TO HIT RICHMOND

Petersburg Flinger Holds Portsmouth Team to Two Hits, One Questionable.

### COBB AS PINCH HITTER

Georgian Enters Game to Bat for Hennessy—Will Be Back To-Day.

Petersburg, Va., July 10.—Clyde Richmond pitched one of the very best games ever seen at Perkins's Park, when he let Lee Garvin's slugging aggregation down with two hits to-day, one of them a rank scratch. However, the first man up in the first inning, hit a slow roller down the third base line, and by great sprinting beat the throw. Many thought the play should have been scored as an error against Barnett, as he dropped Dammara's throw. After this Portsmouth was helpless until the ninth, when Boyd connected for a single—Portsmouth's one clean hit of the game. Not only could they not get the ball safe, but only one ball besides Boyd's hit, went over the outfield, that one being a fly to Spencer in the ninth. Howell, for Portsmouth, was constantly in hot water, but managed to keep the Goobers away from the plate until the sixth. Krepps opened that frame for the home club with a two-base knock to right, and went to third on Busch's single. Spencer was walked purposely, leading the bases. Big Sam Brennan, picked out one to his liking, and when the dust cleared three runners were over and Brennan perched on third.

Krepps singled and stole second after the latter going all the way, and scored on Busch's long single. The fast second-sacker further distinguished himself in the sixth, when he made a wonderful stop of Howell's fast grounder, robbing the pitcher of what looked to be a sure hit. Busch's work at short was of the kind that has made the scribbles around the circuit call him the best shortstop in the league. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Simmons, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Krepps, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Busch, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spencer, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keller, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barnett, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holloman, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### YANKS DEFEAT WHITE SOX

Chicago, July 10.—The Yankees defeated the White Sox here to-day, 2 to 1, in a lively and interesting contest. The chance men made their first tally in the second, when Peckinpah singled and scored on Knight's fluke double to center. The Sox tied it in their half on a hit by Warhop, who was aided by a sacrifice fly. The winning tally was scored in the sixth on two hits and a sacrifice fly to right field. Warhop and Russell started the engagement, the latter going all the way, allowing nine hits. Warhop, by a fine condition, and in six innings allowed only three hits. McConnell, who pitched the final three rounds, did not allow a hit. Catcher by Cress and Sox in the outfield robbed the Sox of many hits, and probably the game. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Howell, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mundy, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boyd, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tennant, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keating, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holloman, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### BOWLING

The Forest Hill Athletics made a clean sweep of the series with the Chesapeake and Ohio aggregation on the Forest Hill Allys last night, in a hotly-contested match. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Flinn (capt.)	178	144	143	45	0	0	0	0	0
Netherwood	156	155	126	47	0	0	0	0	0
Belcher	130	124	122	41	0	0	0	0	0
Whitman	132	122	152	60	0	0	0	0	0
Lyons	129	130	130	35	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	755	824	706	275	0	0	0	0	0

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WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY. Chicago at New York. Cincinnati at Brooklyn. Philadelphia at Philadelphia. St. Louis at Boston.

## CLIMBERS LOSE GAME TO DETROIT

Long Tom Hughes Has Bad First Inning, Tigers Scoring Three Runs.

### COBB AS PINCH HITTER

Georgian Enters Game to Bat for Hennessy—Will Be Back To-Day.

Detroit, July 10.—Hughes had a bad first inning to-day, the Tigers taking three runs off him in many hits. After that "Long Tom" settled down, allowing but two more hits. But the Nationals could do little with Hall, and Detroit won, 3 to 2. Hall retired ten by the strike-out route. Cobb appeared as a pinch hitter at a time when no pinch hitter really was needed, thus forecasting his return to the game tomorrow. The score:

Players	A. B. R.	H.	R.	E.	B.	B.	O.	A.	E.
Morgan, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forster, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvo, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shanks, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wright, 1b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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